# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HOME AFFAIRS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2650
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TERRORISM IN NE REGION
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) the details of internationally active terrorist organisations including fundamentalist groups, which have or are planning to have operational base in the North Eastern Region (NER); and

(b) the details of activists of such organisations apprehended in the North East Region during the last three years alongwith nexus detected between them?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SMT. RADHIKA V. SELVI)

(a) & (b): There is no specific report to suggest that internationally active terrorist organisations including fundamentalist groups are planning to have operational base in the North Eastern Region. However, there are reports that some insurgent groups from the North Eastern Region have links with Pakistan ISI and certain other fundamentalist/terrorist organizations from neighbouring Countries such as Bangladesh based Herkat-UL Jehad Islami (HUJI), which, in turn, is reported to have links with Pakistan based terrorist groups and Pakistani ISI.